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APPLICATION ELEMENTS:

- (X) Specification in 19 pages.
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 - (X) Copy from parent application
 - (X) Incorporation by Reference. The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.
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OTHER APPLICATION PARTS:

(X) Return prepaid postcard.

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| FEE TYPE | | | FEE CODE | CALCULATION | TOTAL | |
| Basic Utility | - | | 1001 (\$770) | | \$770 | |
| Non-English Spec. | | | 1053 (\$130) | | \$0 | |
| Recordation Fee | | | 8021 (\$40) | 0 	 x 	 40 = | \$0 | |
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